

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

2 An endoscopic fluid supply conduit system for use with an
3 endoscope having an insertion tube and a universal cable connected to
4 and from a manipulating head assembly. A fluid conduit is provided
5 internally of the insertion tube to supply a fluid from a fluid feed port
6 on the manipulating head assembly toward a fluid jet injection port
7 feed port which is provided on a rigid tip end section at the fore distal
8 end of the insertion tube. In addition, a second fluid conduit is
9 provided internally of the universal cable and toward the manipulating
10 head assembly. A fluid supply channel selector means is provided at
11 the fluid feed port to which a fluid feed adaptor is to be disconnectibly
12 connected. The fluid supply channel selector means is adapted to
13 block a fluid flow toward the second fluid conduit when a fluid is
14 supplied to the first fluid conduit from the fluid feed port on the
15 manipulating head assembly, and to bring the second fluid conduit
16 into communication with the first fluid conduit when the fluid feed
17 port on the manipulating head assembly is closed.